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USER MANUAL

Model:

WP-101

XGA/Stereo Audio Line Driver

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1 Introduction

Welcome to Kramer Electronics! Since 1981, Kramer Electronics has been providing a world of unique, creative, and affordable solutions to the vast range of problems that confront the video, audio, presentation, and broadcasting professional on a daily basis. In recent years, we have redesigned and upgraded most of our line, making the best even better! Our 1,000-plus different models now appear in 11 groups¹ that are clearly defined by function.

Congratulations on purchasing your Kramer Wall Plate **WP-101 XGA/Stereo Audio Line Driver**, which is ideal for:

- Presentation and multimedia applications
- Long range graphics distribution for schools, hospitals, security and stores

The package includes the following items:

- **WP-101 XGA/Stereo Audio Line Driver**
- Power supply (12V DC output)
- This user manual²

2 Getting Started

We recommend that you:

- Unpack the equipment carefully and save the original box and packaging materials for possible future shipment
- Review the contents of this user manual
- Use Kramer high performance, high resolution cables³

3 Overview

The Kramer **WP-101** wall plate is an *XGA/Stereo Audio Line Driver* that accepts computer graphics video (up to UXGA) and an unbalanced stereo audio signal, and outputs them as (balanced and unbalanced) stereo audio and RGBHV video signals. The **WP-101 XGA/Stereo Audio Line Driver** features:

- A computer graphics video UXGA input and an unbalanced stereo audio input
- RGBHV video output on BNC connectors and a terminal block⁴

¹ GROUP 1: Distribution Amplifiers; GROUP 2: Video and Audio Switchers, Matrix Switchers and Controllers; GROUP 3: Video, Audio, VGA/XGA Processors; GROUP 4: Interfaces and Sync Processors; GROUP 5: Range Extenders and Repeaters; GROUP 6: Accessories and Rack Adapters; GROUP 7: Scan Converters and Scalers; and GROUP 8: Cables and Connectors

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³ The complete list of Kramer cables is available from <http://www.kramerelectronics.com>

⁴ Only one of these outputs can be active at a time. You cannot connect both simultaneously



- Line-level balanced and unbalanced¹ stereo audio outputs on terminal blocks
- 12V DC power supply

3.1 Defining the EDID

EDID (Extended Display Identification Data²) is a data-structure that the display provides to describe its capabilities to a graphics card connected to the display's source. The EDID enables the source, such as a PC, to "know" what kind of monitor is connected to the output.

The EDID includes information, such as, the name of the manufacturer, product type, timing data supported by the display, display size, luminance data, and (for digital displays only) the pixel mapping data.

The **WP-101** is supplied with a default EDID, but it can also store and recall EDID data in non-volatile memory, allowing convenient and reliable connection to the source.

3.2 Recommendations for Achieving the Best Performance

Achieving the best performance means:

- Utilizing only good quality connection cables, thus avoiding interference, deterioration in signal quality due to poor matching, and elevated noise levels (often associated with low quality cables)
- Avoiding interference from neighboring electrical appliances and positioning your **WP-101** away from moisture, excessive sunlight, and dust



Caution: No operator serviceable parts inside unit

Warning: Use only the Kramer Electronics input power wall adapter that is provided with the unit

Warning: Disconnect power and unplug unit from wall before installing or removing the device or servicing unit

4 Defining the WP-101 XGA/Unbalanced Stereo Audio Line Transmitter

[Figure 1](#) and [Table 1](#) define the front and rear panels and features of the **WP-101**.

¹ Both balanced and unbalanced outputs may be used simultaneously

² EDID is defined by a standard published by the Video Electronics Standards Association (VESA)

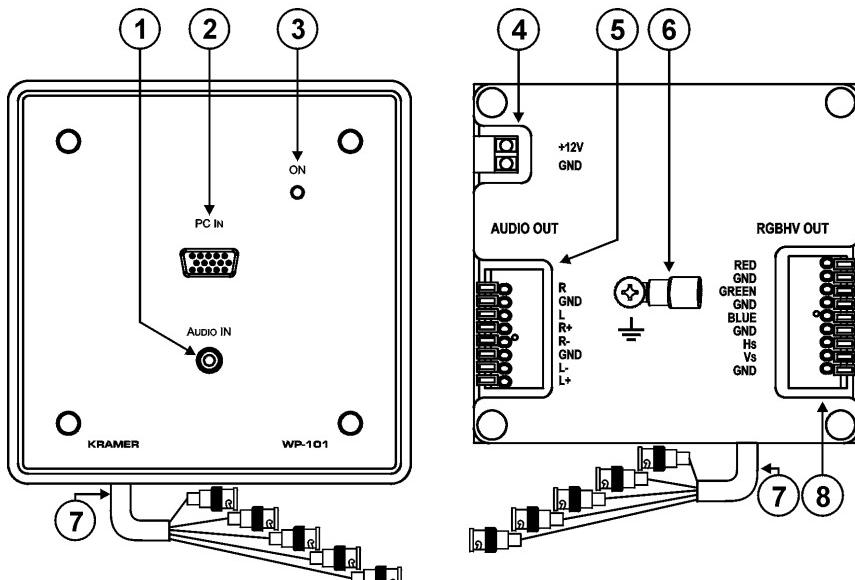


Figure 1: WP-101 Front Panel and Rear Panels

Table 1: WP-101 Front and Rear Panel Features

| # | Feature | Function |
|---|--|--|
| 1 | AUDIO IN 3.5mm Mini Jack | Connect to an unbalanced stereo audio source |
| 2 | PC IN XGA 15-Pin HD (F) Connector | Connect to an XGA video source |
| 3 | ON LED | Lights red when receiving power, lights green when receiving a signal from a video source |
| 4 | +12V PIN | Connect to the positive (red/+) of the power adapter |
| | GND PIN | Connect to the negative (black/-) of the power adapter |
| 5 | AUDIO OUT 8-pin Audio Line-level Output Spring-Loaded Terminal Block | Connect to balanced and/or unbalanced stereo audio acceptor 1 (see Section 4.3) |
| 6 | Ground | Ground connection. Ring-tongue terminal and grounding screw (see Section 4.2) |
| 7 | RGBHV OUT Component Video Output ¹ | Connect to RGBHV component video acceptor (see Section 4.4) |
| 8 | RGBHV OUT 9-pin RGBHV Video Output Spring-Loaded Terminal Block | Connect to RGBHV video acceptor (see Section 4.4) |

1 Both balanced and unbalanced outputs may be used simultaneously

2 Only one of these outputs can be active at a time. You cannot connect both simultaneously

4.1 Installing and Connecting the WP-101 XGA Line Transmitter

[Figure 2](#) illustrates a typical WP-101 installation.

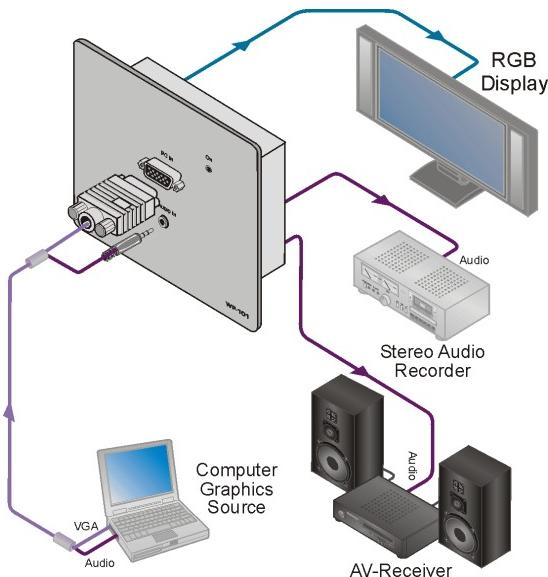


Figure 2: Connecting the WP-101 XGA/Stereo Audio Line Driver

4.1.1 Installing the WP-101 XGA/Stereo Audio Line Driver

To install the WP-101 as illustrated in the example in [Figure 2](#):

1. Using the pre-installed wiring in the wall box opening that connects to the unbalanced audio recorder, connect the Audio Out unbalanced (R, GND and L) terminal block to the unbalanced audio recorder.
2. Using the pre-installed wiring in the wall box opening that connects to the balanced, stereo audio amplifier, connect the AUDIO OUT balanced¹ (L, R+, R-, GND, L- and L+) terminal block to the balanced audio amplifier.
3. Using the pre-installed wiring in the wall box opening that connects to the video acceptor, connect the RGBHV OUT terminal block to the component video acceptor².
4. Recommended—Ground the wall plate (see [Section 4.2](#)).
5. Connect the 12V DC power supply to the power terminal block³ taking care that the wiring polarity is correct.

¹ Both balanced and unbalanced outputs can be used simultaneously

² Either the BNC or terminal block output can be active, they cannot be connected simultaneously

³ Connect the wire labeled + to the +12V connector and the wire labeled – to the GND connector

6. Insert the **WP-101** into the wall box opening and secure it using the supplied screws.

4.1.2 Connecting the WP-101 XGA/Stereo Audio Line Driver

To connect the **WP-101** as illustrated in the example in [Figure 2](#):

1. Connect the VGA source to the PC IN connector.
2. Connect the unbalanced stereo source to the AUDIO IN connector.

4.2 Grounding the WP-101 XGA/Stereo Audio Line Driver

Grounding the **WP-101** is recommended.

The grounding wire is connected to the rear of the chassis of the unit.

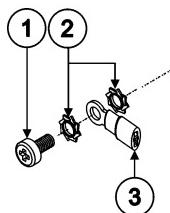


Table 2: *WP-101 Grounding Component Descriptions*

| # | Item |
|---|---------------------------|
| 1 | M3 x 6 Screw |
| 2 | 1/8" Toothed lock washers |
| 3 | M3 Ring tongue terminal |

Figure 3: *WP-101 Grounding Components*

The grounding screw is used to earth the chassis of the unit to the ground of the building, thus preventing static electricity from interfering with the product's performance.

To connect the grounding to the **WP-101** as illustrated in [Figure 3](#):

1. Crimp the ring-tongue terminal to the building grounding point wire. (We recommend that you use a green-yellow 18 AWG wire (0.82mm^2) crimped with a proper hand-tool).
2. Insert the M3x6 screw through the toothed lock washers and the ring-tongue terminal in the order shown above.
3. Insert the M3x6 screw (with the two toothed lock washers and ring-tongue terminal in place) into the grounding screw hole on the rear of the **WP-101** and tighten the screw.

4.3 Wiring the AUDIO OUT 8-Pin Terminal Block

The 8-pin spring-loaded terminal block is an easy plug-in connector for attaching the cable to the audio acceptors.

[Figure 4](#) defines the pinouts for the terminal block.

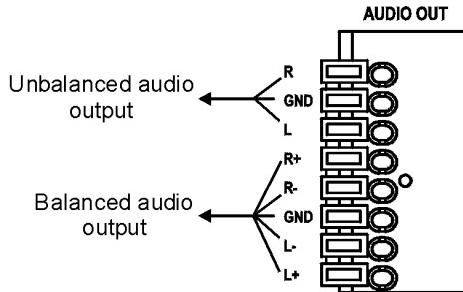


Figure 4: Audio Out Terminal Block Pinouts

To connect cabling to the terminal block:

1. Strip the insulation from each conductor.
2. Press the conductor into the relevant hole.
The spring-loaded contact automatically grips the conductor.
3. Repeat for each conductor.

To remove a conductor from the terminal block:

1. Press the lever corresponding to the conductor to be removed.
2. While pressing the lever, pull the conductor from the connector.

Note:

- Press the spring-loaded lever only when removing wires, not when inserting them
- Each conductor should protrude 9 mm (0.35") from its insulation so that it can be easily connected. To prevent conductors from shorting, ensure that each wire is fully inserted

4.4 Wiring the RGBHV OUT 9-Pin Terminal Block

The 9-pin spring-loaded terminal block is an easy plug-in connector for attaching the video cables.

[Figure 4](#) defines the pinouts for the terminal block.

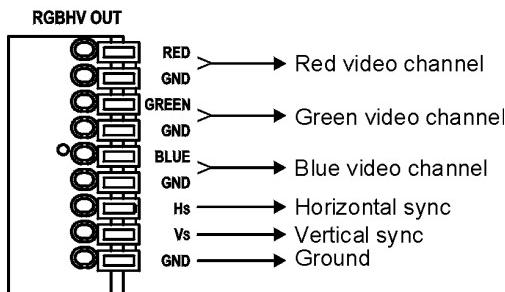


Figure 5: RGBHV OUT Video Terminal Block Pinouts

To insert or remove conductors from the terminal block, follow the instructions in [Section 4.3](#).

4.5 Wiring the Power Connector

The power supply connections are illustrated in [Figure 6](#).

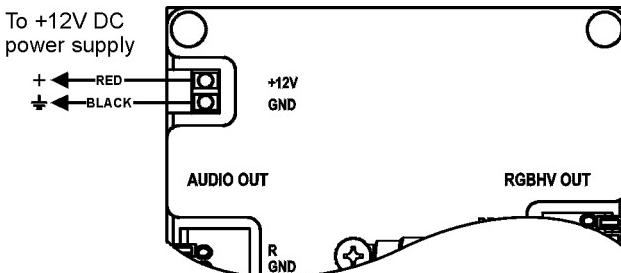


Figure 6: WP-101 Power Supply Connection

To connect the power supply to the WP-101, as illustrated in [Figure 6](#):

1. Strip about 5mm (0.2") from the insulation of the power supply wires.
2. Insert the wires fully into the connector block taking care that the polarity is correct.
3. Using a small, flat screwdriver, tighten the terminal block screws to hold the wires securely in place.

5 Assigning an EDID

The EDID can either be captured automatically by the **WP-101** transmitter (see [Section 5.1](#)), or you can set it manually with one of the preconfigured values (see [Section 5.2](#)).

5.1 Capturing the EDID from a Display Device

To capture the EDID from a display device:

1. Using a Philips screwdriver, remove the four screws holding the faceplate to the PCB assembly.
2. Using a short cable¹, connect the PC IN 15-pin HD input connector on the **WP-101** to the XGA connector of the display and turn the display on.
3. Ensure that the rotary switch (see [Figure 7](#)) is in position 0. If it is not, use a small screwdriver to turn it to 0.
4. Connect the supplied 12V DC power adapter to the power terminal block (see [Figure 6](#)).

¹ For example, Kramer model number C-MGM/MGM-1

[Section 4.5](#)) on the **WP-101** and connect the adapter to the mains electricity.

5. Press the EDID capture button (see [Figure 7](#)).
The EDID status LED flashes slowly several times. The new EDID is captured when the LED stops flashing and lights solid.
6. Unplug the power adapter from the mains and disconnect it from the **WP-101**.
7. Replace the faceplate and secure the four screws removed in [Step 1](#).

5.2 Setting a Preconfigured EDID

[Figure 7](#) and [Table 3](#) define the location of the PCB features used when setting the EDID manually.

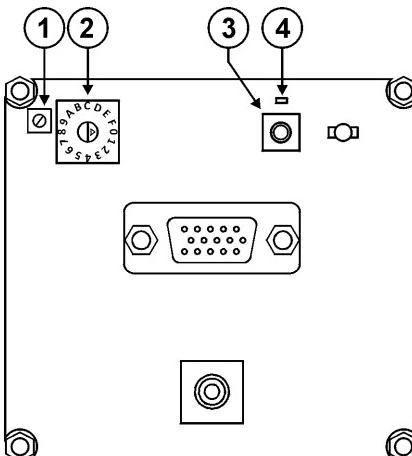


Figure 7: WP-101 PCB Assembly Front View with Face Plate Removed

Table 3: WP-101 PCB Assembly Features

| # | Feature | Function |
|---|---------------------------|--|
| 1 | Equalization Trimmer | Using a small, flat screwdriver, turn to adjust the signal equalization (see Section 5.3) |
| 2 | 16 Position Rotary Switch | Using a small, flat screwdriver, turn to select the EDID resolution and refresh rate (see Table 4) |
| 3 | EDID Capture Button | Press to capture the EDID |
| 4 | EDID Status LED | Flashes green slowly when capturing a valid display EDID; lights solid when EDID has been successfully captured; flashes rapidly when setting a preconfigured EDID |

To set a preconfigured EDID:

1. Using a Philips screwdriver, from the rear of the unit, remove the four screws holding the face plate panel to the rear PCB assembly.
2. Using a small, flat screwdriver, turn the rotary switch located on the PCB assembly (see [Figure 7](#)) to the required position as defined in [Table 4](#).

3. Connect the 12V DC power adapter to **WP-101** (see [Section 4.5](#)) and to the mains electricity.
4. Press the EDID CAPTURE button (see [Figure 7](#)).
The EDID status LED flashes green rapidly several times. The new EDID is captured when the LED stops flashing and lights solid.
5. Unplug the power adapter from the mains and disconnect it from the **WP-101**.
6. Replace the faceplate and secure the four screws removed in [Step 1](#).

Table 4: WP-101 Rotary Switch EDID Resolution Settings

| Rotary Switch Position | Resolution | Refresh Rate |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|
| 0 (Default) | 1024x768 | 60Hz |
| 1 | 800x600 | 60Hz |
| 2 | 1024x768 | 60Hz |
| 3 | 1152x864 | 75Hz |
| 4 | 1280x720 | 60Hz |
| 5 | 1280x800 | 60Hz |
| 6 | 1024x1024 | 60Hz |
| 7 | 1360x768 | 60Hz |

| Rotary Switch Position | Resolution | Refresh Rate |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|-------------------------|
| 8 | 1440x900 | 60Hz |
| 9 | 1440x1050 | 60Hz |
| A | 1600x1200 | 60Hz |
| B | 1680x1050 | 60Hz |
| C | 1920x1080 | 60Hz |
| D | 1920x1200 | 60Hz |
| E | For future use | |
| F | For future use | |

5.3 Setting the Equalization

To adjust the signal equalization:

1. Using a Philips screwdriver, from the rear of the unit, remove the four screws holding the face plate panel to the rear PCB assembly.
2. Using a small, flat screwdriver, turn the trimmer located on the PCB assembly (see [Figure 7](#)).
3. Connect the 12V DC power adapter to **WP-101** (see [Section 4.5](#)) and to the mains electricity.
4. Replace the faceplate and secure the four screws removed in [Step 1](#).

6 Technical Specifications

[Table 5](#) lists the technical specifications of the **WP-101 XGA/Stereo Audio Line Driver**.

Table 5: Technical Specifications¹ of the WP-101

| | | |
|---------------------------------|--|--|
| INPUTS: | 1 UXGA on a 15-pin HD (F) connector 1 Unbalanced stereo audio on a 3.5mm mini jack 1 Power 12V DC on 2-pin spring-loaded terminal block | |
| OUTPUTS: | 1 Audio balanced and 1 unbalanced on an 8-pin spring-loaded terminal block 1 RGBHV component video on a 9-pin spring-loaded terminal block or on 5 BNC cables | |
| MAX. OUTOUT LEVEL: | Video: 1.7Vpp | Audio: 8.5Vpp unbalanced, 16.6Vpp balanced |
| BANDWIDTH (-3dB): | Video: 380MHz | Audio: >20kHz |
| DIFF. GAIN: | 0.08% | |
| DIFF. PHASE: | 0.05Deg | |
| K-FACTOR: | 0.2% | |
| S/N RATIO: | Video: 68dB @5MHz | Audio: 87dB unbalanced, 85dB balanced |
| CROSSTALK (all hostile): | Audio: -51dB (from video) | |
| CONTROLS: | 0 to 10dB equalization @50MHz | |
| COUPLING: | Video: DC | Audio: Input AC, Output DC |
| AUDIO THD + NOISE: | 0.01% | |
| AUDIO 2 nd HARMONIC: | Unbalanced 0.003%, balanced 0.001% | |
| POWER SOURCE: | 12V DC 80mA | |
| DIMENSIONS: | 2 Gang US 114.3mm x 114.3mm (4.5" x 4.5") W, D | |
| WEIGHT: | 0.14kg. (0.31lbs.) approx. | |
| ACCESSORIES: | Power adapter | |

¹ Specifications are subject to change without notice

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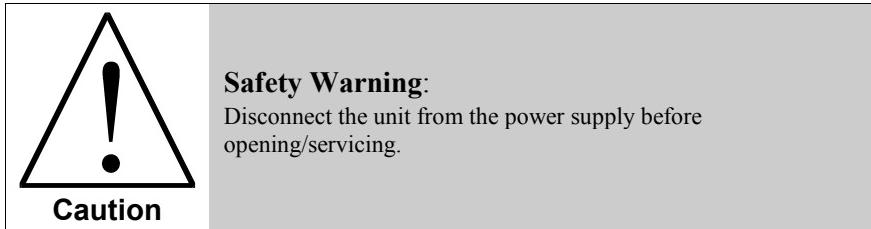
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